

## **SWAG Bill Progress**

March 8, 2007

### **Water Adequacy**

**HB 2693** (Mason) – Passed House Water & Agriculture Committee (WAG) on 2/8/07, as a strike-everything amendment. Passed House Rules 3/5/07.

- Next stop: House Committee of the Whole (COW).

**SB 1575** (Arzberger) – Passed Senate Natural Resources and Rural Affairs Committee on (NRRA) on 2/14/07 with two amendments: (1) requires unanimous vote for a county Board of Supervisors to adopt; and (2) a simplified deed notification requirement. Passed Senate COW on 3/7/07 with 2 amendments, passed Senate 3<sup>rd</sup> Read on 3/8/07, 26-2-2.

- Next stop: House.

### **Water Development Revolving Fund**

**HB 2692** (Mason) – Passed WAG on 2/8/07 with two amendments: (1) makes technical changes; (2) modifies the term in which loans must be repaid from 50 to 30 years.

- Next stop: House Rules.

**SB 1608** (Flake) – This bill as drafted was a different version of the water development fund legislation. In NRRA on 2/14/07, the language from Senator Arzberger's SB 1577 was amended on to Senator Flake's bill in the form of a "strike-everything" amendment. As this bill proceeds, to conform with WIFA's recommendation it will require an amendment to reduce the term in which loans must be repaid from 50 to 30 years.

- Next stop: Senate Appropriations Committee.

### **Well Impact/Contamination**

**HB 2484** (Mason) – Passed WAG on 2/8/07 with a strike-everything amendment that was necessary to include all of the most recent agreed upon elements. Passed COW on 3/5/07.

- Next stop: House 3<sup>rd</sup> Read.

**SB 1638** (Arzberger) – Passed NRRA on 2/14/07 and Rules on 2/21/07 without amendment. Passed COW on 3/1/07 amended, and passed 3<sup>rd</sup> Read 3/5/07 with a unanimous 28-0-2 vote.

- Next stop: House.